THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI KALiFNATH RAI): (a) The Archaelogical Survey of India have expressed their apprehensions about the possible adverse affects on Taj Mahal due to the proposed thermal power station at Dholpur.

(b) The Environmental Impact Statement submitted by the R.S.E.B., indicates that the proposed power station is not likely to have significant impact on the ambient air quailty. However, the Minisiry of Environment & Forests feels that the gaseous emissions of Sulphurdioxide from the proposed station would be of the order of 75 tonnes per day from 3 units of 250 MW. The emissions of oxides of Nitrogen will be almost of the same proportion, The Indian Meteorological Department has been asked to make a critical examination of the likely impact of the proposed station on the Taj. Hydro Projects do not cause any air pollution.

Inclusion of Mishings of Arunachal Pradesh in Scheduled Tribe List

1133. SHRI NYODEK YONGGAM: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state;

(a) whether Government have finalised the comprehensive Bill to amend the Constitution to include the Mishings (Miris) of Arunachal Pradesh in the Scheduled Tribe List of the State; and

(b) if not, what are the reasons for the delay?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI SITARAM KESRI): (a) and (b) The proposal to include some Castes in the SC/ST lists i$_s$ under consideration.

देश में कल्याणकारी योजनाओं का कार्यान्वयन

1134. श्री ईश दत्त यादव : क्या कल्याण मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) केन्द्रीय सरकार द्वारा कौन-कौन सी विभिन्न कल्याणकारी योजनाएं लागू की जा रही हैं; और

(ख) पिछले पांच वर्षों के दौरान ऐसी कल्याणकारी योजनाओं पर राज्यवार कितनी-कितनी धनराशि खर्च की गई है ?

कल्याण मंत्री (श्री सीताराम केसरी) (क) यह सूचना बजट दस्तावेजों में उपलब्ध है।

(ख) यह सूचना राज्य सरकारों के बजट दस्तावेजों में उपलब्ध है।

[1135. Transferred to the 13th December, 1991].

Identification of Socially and Educationally Backward Classes

1136. SHRI JAGADISH JANI; Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state;

(a) whether the socially and educationally backward classes in different States and Union Territories have been identified;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether the State Governments have submitted the lists to the Centre hi that direction; and

(d) if not, the date by which the entire list would be ready?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI SITA RAM KESRI): (a) to (d) The OM of 13 th August, 1990 providing inter alia for reservation of 27 per cent of jobs fortheSocially & Educationally Back ward Classes (SEBCs) in civil posts/services under the Govt, of India to be filled through direct recruitment laid down that SEBCs will, in the first phase, comprise the castes/communities which are common to both the lists of the Mendal Commission Report as well as the State Governments' lists. As on 13-8-90, 13 States, namely, Assam, Andhra Pradesh, Goa, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra, Punjab,